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Applicant(s): OKAHIRA et al.

Patent No. : 6,707,546

Issue Date : March 16, 2004

For : APPARATUS FOR INSPECTING A

SUBSTRATE

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TO CORRECT INVENTORSHIP IN PATENT

PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.324

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SIR:

This is a Petition under 37 CFR 1.324 to correct the inventorship in the above-identified U.S patent by <u>deleting</u>
Mr. Nobuo FUJISAKI as an inventor. The inventorship error arose without any deceptive intention on Mr. Nobuo FUJISAKI's part or on the part of any of the other named inventors.

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.324(b)(2)-(4), also submitted herewith are:

 A Statement from the current named inventors (including Mr. Nobuo FUJISAKI who is being deleted) agreeing to the change of inventorship and stating that the

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inventorship error occurred without any deceptive intention on their part;

- 2. A Statement from the Assignee of record agreeing to the change of inventorship in the patent, which Statement complies with the requirements of 37 CFR 3.73(b); and
- 3. A form 2038 is enclosed to cover the USPTO processing fee of \$130.00 as set forth under 37 CFR 1.20(b).

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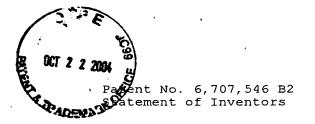
Favorable action on this Petition is respectfully requested.

It is respectfully requested that the Patent Office issue a certificate correcting the inventorship error.

Respectfully submitted,

Leonard Holtz Reg. No. 22,9%

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#### STATEMENT OF INVENTORS

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

#### SIR:

The undersigned, the currently named inventors in the above-identified U.S. patent, hereby agree to the change of inventorship by deleting Mr. Nobuo FUJISAKI as a named inventor of the subject matter claimed in the above-identified U.S. patent. The inventorship error arose without any deceptive intention.

Respectfully submitted,

Hiroyuki Okahira Hiroyuki Okahira

Yuzo Nakamura Yuzo NAKAMURA Jul. 14. 2004

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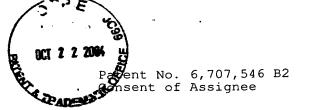
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### CONSENT OF ASSIGNEE

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 22313-1450 Alexandria, VA

### SIR:

The Assignee of the entire interest in the above-identified U.S. patent hereby agrees to the change of inventorship in the above-identified U.S. patent to delete Mr. Nobuo FUJISAKI as an inventor.

The name of the Assignee has been changed from "Olympus Optical Co., Ltd." to "Olympus Corporation", as evidenced by the attached documents.

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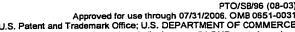
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Olympus Corporation (formerly Olypmus Optical Co., Ltd.), a (Name of Assignee)  Corporation of Japan (Type of Assignee, e.g., corporation, partnership, university, government agency, etc.)		
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